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FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY ROGERS FROM AMBASSADOR

E. O. 11652: N/A TAGS: EFIN. IDB. BR

SUBJECT: LETTER TO SECRETARY SIMON

1. IN CONNECTION WITH MY LETTER TO SECRETARY SIMON (WHICH YOU SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED IN YESTERDAY'S POUCH) IN ANTICIPATION OF HIS MEETING WITH FINANCE MINISTER SIMONSEN. WE HAVE NOW LEARNED THAT SIMONSEN WILL NOT BE GOING TO SANTO DOMINGO AS HE HAD PLANNED. HE DOES, HOWEVER, EXPECT TO BE IN WASHINGTON IN EARLY JUNE FOR THE INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE IMF. I BELIEVE, THEREFORE, THAT, IF YOU AGREE, THE LETTER SHOULD STILL GO FORWARD TO TREASURY (WHICH HAS BEEN INFORMED OF SIMONSEN'S CHANGE OF PLANS) AND THAT SECRETARY SIMON CAN, IF HE WISHES, TAKE UP THE SUBJECT MATTER WHEN HE MEETS SIMONSEN IN WASHINGTON. THE FACT THAT SUCH A MEETING WILL BE HELD IN EARLY JUNE RATHER THAN LATE MAY DOES NOT CHANGE THE TIMELINESS OF THE APPROACH NOR THE SUBSTANCE OF THE LETTER.

2. SIMONSEN TOLD ME THAT HIS BUSY SCHEDULE COULD NOT PERMIT HIM TO BE AWAY FROM BRASILIA FOR THE SANTO DOMINGO MEETING. CURRENT PLANS WILL TAKE HIM LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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TO SALZBURG FOR A SEMINAR ON INVESTING IN BRAZIL

(MAY 29) AND TO WASINGTON IN EARLY JUNE FOR THE IMF MEETINGS. CRIMMINS	
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